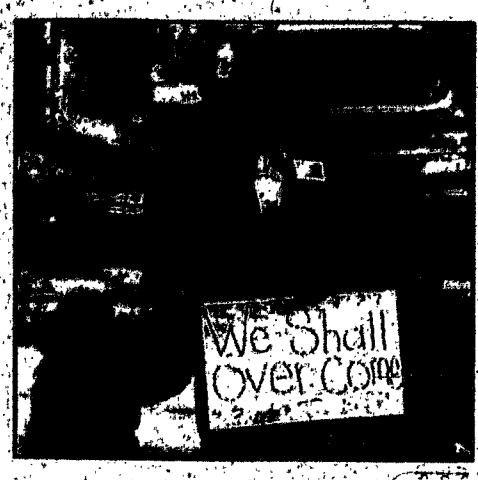


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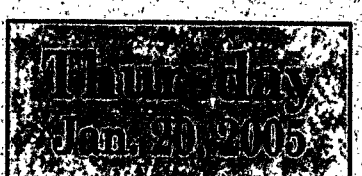
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Hancock Chamber After Hours Thursday

Coastal Rehabilitation, 547 St. John Street, Bay St. Louis, will host the Chamber Business After Hours, 5-7 p.m. today, Thursday.

Krewe of Selene to parade this Saturday

The Krewe of Selene Mardi Gras parade takes place this Saturday beginning at 6:30 p.m. in Diamondhead. Route: Burger King through the shopping center to Golf Club Drive and ending at the Country Club, Diamondhead. 255-7801.

Central Bible Church hosts Master's Men

Central Bible Church in Bay St. Louis invites everyone to an evening of worship with The Master's Men Gospel Quartet this Sunday, Jan. 23, beginning at 6 p.m. For more, call the church at 467-0529. A nursery will be provided.

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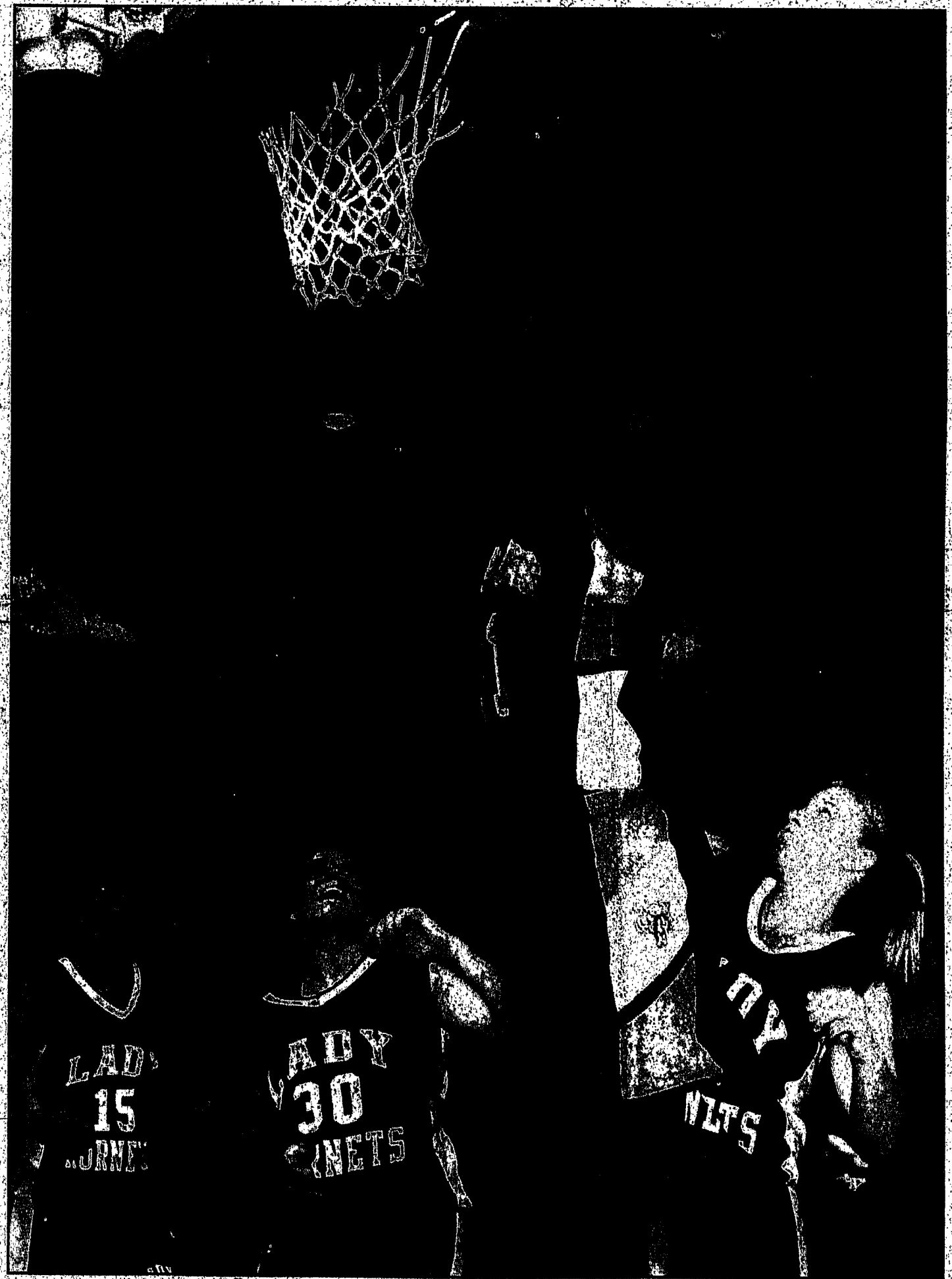
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BAY HIGH HOOP DREAMS



Bay High School center Destiny Porter (31) leaves the East Central Hornet defense standing Tuesday as she scores on a layup. Below: Lady Tiger Crystal Seratching (11) fights for a rebound in Bay High School game Tuesday night against East Central high school in Hurley.

Bay hopes to continue winning ways against long-time rival

The number-one ranked Bay High School Lady Tigers have clawed their way to the top with a 19-0 record on the season, and they aim to stay there. The Lady Tigers play the Harrison Central Red Rebelettes Friday night, Jan. 21, in a non-conference game. Tip-off is 6:30 p.m.

"This is a non-divisional game so it doesn't count against us in division play," Bay High Coach Debbie Triplett said yesterday, "but Harrison Central is a very good team and will be a very big challenge for us."

"It should be an extremely competitive game that will give us a good indication as to where we are



at this point in the season. I have a lot of respect for Coach Stone and know they will come in here prepared to get after us. I just hope we are ready to step up to the challenge."

Bay High remained No. 1 in the girls' Associated Press poll after a 2-0 week made them 19-0 on the season. Bay St. Louis was a unanimous selection atop the girls' poll with nine first-place votes.

Under Triplett's leadership, the Lady Tigers have made it to the 4A finals four times, winning the state title in 2003 and coming close last year before ultimately losing a 76-60 heartbreaker to Northeast Jones.

Bay's Kendra Reed leads the Coast in points this year, scoring an average 20.7 per game. She is followed closely by teammates Destiny Porter, who averages 18; and Tamara Reed, with 15. Kendra also averages 7.8 rebounds per game; Destiny, 7.1; and Sara Gilmore, 5.2.

Sheriff probes Zodiac stabbing

24-year-old victim treated at HMC

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS
Publisher Emeritus

An early Sunday morning stabbing at the Zodiac Bar on Highway 90 is under investigation, Sheriff Steve Garber reports.

The sheriff's department received a call at 4:36 a.m. Sunday reporting the stabbing and Investigator Matt Barnett responded.

In his initial investigation, Barnett said, "A 24-year-old white male was stabbed in his back by an unknown subject at the Zodiac Bar located on Highway 90 across from the entrance to Bayside Park Subdivision."

Investigator André Fizer said no one reported seeing the incident happen. The victim was transported to

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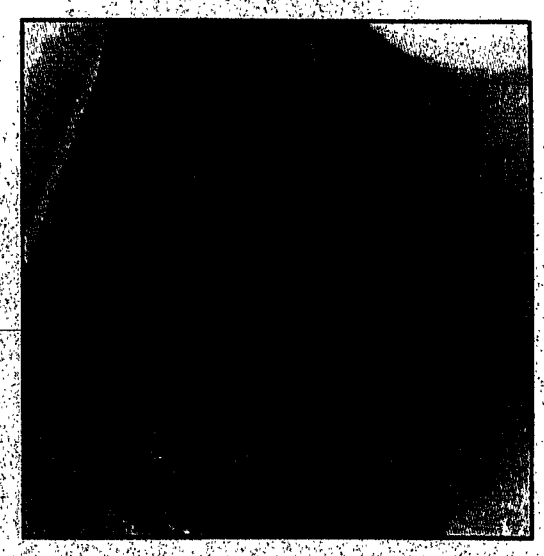
Bay eyes exotic pet ordinance

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER
Staff Writer

Councilman Bobby Compretta may get his way on the issue of prohibiting exotic or wild animals in the city of Bay St. Louis. In October, after a 17 foot python pet, Baby, escaped from a home on Union St., Compretta said he would prefer a ban on exotic animals.

On Tuesday council looked at an ordinance that may severely restrict the ownership of such animals within

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Baby, a 17-foot-long pet python, catapulted Bay St. Louis into the national news last September when she escaped from her Union St. home.

Diamondhead church sews good will

Volunteers from the Diamondhead Community Church "Sewing for Missions" program, and friends and family of the group, have just completed their yearly project to provide afghans, sweaters, sweater sacks, booties and caps to newborns at both Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis and University Medical Center in Jackson.

This was one of the group's most productive years said, chairperson Toni Kothe. The items were on display at the church hall before being distributed to the hospitals. Marie Bailey, Mary Anne Ballard, Lenita Cuervo, Gunde Cusick, Phillis Dack, Marilyn Dehnobostel, Helen Hickman, Dottie Hirsch, Ursula Kaley, Mary Ann Manchester, Pat Prud'homme, Annette



Toni Kothe, chairwoman of the Diamondhead Community Church "Sewing for Missions" program, with some of the items church members have created.

Saucier, Gail Seliga, J. J. Helga Whittaker, Eileen and Kothe donated time and Skinner, JoAnn Sturat, Zeringue, Barbara Wittliff materials to the project.



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Since 1984, Chappy's Seafood and Chop House Restaurant has built a reputation as a coast favorite. From its Long Beach location on Highway 90 (624 East Beach) Chappy's offers spectacular views outside on the patio, and impeccable surroundings and service inside as well.

Little touches are a big deal at Chappy's, named after its founder, "John Chapman." Like the napkins folded into fleur de lis, the humidior which houses a wide range of fine cigars, or the signature butters and fresh baked bread that you can only find at Chappy's, the unique is commonplace.

As for the menu, whether it's lunch or dinner, Saturday and Sunday Champagne Brunch, quality and variety are in abundance.

Chappy's offers a great lunch menu Monday through Friday, including appetizers, salads, soups and sides to go with your main course. Average prices start at

\$6.95-\$12.95. Lunch specials Monday through Friday are \$9.95, with three soup samplers including bread and signature butters. Try the Trout Long Beach on Friday for \$9.95, a dish that has earned its world famous reputation.

Our newest items for lunch are the Spinach Caesar, with fried oysters and bacon for \$9.95, or the Lobster Rocket Club for \$14.95, delicious.

There's also chicken, shrimp, snapper and tuna from the grill, dusted with Chappy's grilling spices and served with pasta, house salad and Carrots Grand Marnier.

Chappy's dinner menu is grand and extensive. Choices include seafood, beef, lamb, sausages, poultry, and game. There's just too many outstanding dishes to cover here, but a couple of local favorites include: Steak and Lobster Rocket, or for a succulent treat Blackened Prime Rib with Crab Meat Hollandaise. This thick cut of beef is cooked to perfection and topped with sautéed lump crabmeat and hollandaise sauce and your choice of vegetable or potato.

The Carpetbagger is an 8 oz. blackened filet, stuffed with melted bleu cheese, and served with stuffed potato and vegetable. All entrees come with house salad or oyster and artichoke soup.

Try the Mardi Gras Lamb Chops, tender, grilled basted with garlic and served with mint jelly. It comes with Ma Ma Ma's Shrimp and Eggplant Casserole (\$24.95).

But this is such a small sampling. With over 60 unique dishes and entrees, plus appetizers, soups, you've got to taste it to believe it. The wine list starts at only \$12.50, and complete dinners averaging \$12.95 to \$25.00 nightly.

And finally, there are the desserts. There's quite a selection, and each is available for \$5.00 from the dessert cart. Try the delectable Strawberry Cake. Desserts are big enough to share with a friend, so share the chocolate eclairs, red velvet cake, chocolate mousse, or cheesecake, all made from scratch.

Speaking of sweet, Chappy's was recently awarded the 2004 "Covey" Award for Best Fine Dining on the Coast, presented by the Coast Nightlife Observer. After over 20 years, Chappy's continues what has become a coast tradition. Open 11am-10pm, seven days a week. Visit their website: www.chappys.net

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Arrest Record

Editor's note: The following is a list of arrests logged at the Hancock county Justice Facility from Jan. 7-14. Appearance on the jail log is not indicative of guilt, merely a record that an arrest has been made.

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Lori Russell, 39, DUI 1st (refused test)
Kenneth Crowe, 24, simple assault
Ray Nicholas Ladner, 25, simple assault causing bodily injury
Carrie Knight, 25, suspended license, speeding
Joseph LHeureux, 54, misuse of 911, disorderly conduct
Guy W. Graham, Jr., 35, simple assault
Guy W. Graham, Sr., 57, simple assault
Joseph S. Christo, 35, suspended license
Charles Rutledge, 24, disturbance of family
Timothy Reid, 34, DUI

2nd
Timothy Dardar, 18, public drunk
Jimmy McDougald, 18, disorderly conduct
Scott Elliot Brown, 47, suspended license, expired tag, DUI 1st, expired insurance sticker
Karen Martinez, 47, disorderly conduct, public drunk
Anita Stevens, 46, disturbance of family, simple assault
Luke Samuel Keeler, 29, three counts burglary
Louis Ladner, 26, public drunk
Donna Beech, 38, DUI 2nd, suspended license
Kim R. Jones, 50, embezzlement
Korri Jones, 19, embezzlement
Stephen Mollohan, 28, aggravated assault, 16 years MDOC
Todd Wilson, 27, suspended license, improper equipment, false informa-

tion, no insurance
Tabitha M. Carbo, 30, contempt of court, warrant
Ernest Bunn, Jr., 29, two counts simple assault (domestic), resisting arrest, disturbing the peace, disorderly conduct
Dennis Band, 55, contempt of court
Kipp D. Jones, 25, embezzlement
Laurie Ann Gibson, 43, sale of a controlled substance
James Gibson, 44, sale of a controlled substance
Rebecca M. Crowe, 20, false identity info
Joshua Jackson, 17, robbery
Leonard Cooper, 55, petit larceny
Jimmie Rosser, 58, simple assault (domestic)
Robert Barker, 23, probation violation
David Raver, 18, contempt of court
Daniel Dougherty, 25, suspended license, no proof

insurance, probation violation
Edwin J. Provencher, 38, DUI 1st, reckless driving
Andy Galloway, 42, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest
Christopher Bernard, 24, contempt of court
Michael J. Hux, 25, capias
Charlotte Gerald, 43, leaving the scene of an accident, DUI other, failure to yield
Kasey Wynette Lee, 33, financial exploitation of a vulnerable adult
Frances W. Wittumitis, 25, DUI 1st, no insurance
Susan Ladner, 43, implied consent, suspended license
Charles J. Lavinghouse, 35, DUI 1st
Daniel J. Alley, 38, contempt of court
Jason Bilbo, 29, contempt of court

Traffic violations lead to drug busts

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS

Publisher Emeritus

Two unrelated traffic violation stops in Waveland has led to the arrest of two Waveland residents facing drug-related charges, according to Bay Waveland Narcotics Task Force directors, Waveland Police Chief Jimmy Varnell and Bay Police Chief Frank McNeil.

On Dec. 19, approximately 1 a.m., Officer Todd Blake, Waveland Police, conducted a traffic stop on Herlihy St. He detected the smell of burnt marijuana coming from the vehicle. As Blake patted the passenger down, several bags of marijuana were discovered in his pants.

The suspect, Tony Booth, 25, of Waveland, attempted to flee the scene on foot. Sgt. Eddie Peterson and Officer Ronald Storey then apprehended the suspect in a foot pursuit. Fourteen bags of marijuana were taken into evidence, the Chiefs news release said.

"Booth was charged with possession of a controlled substance with intent to distribute and resisting arrest by flight. Since he was on bond from a previous felony, (possession of crack cocaine) the previous bond was revoked.

Booth is currently incarcerated at the Hancock County Criminal Justice Facility," Varnell and McNeil report.

Booth's case was turned over to the Grand Jury on Jan. 13 and the case is being

handled by Detective Brent Anderson, the directors said.

In another traffic violation stop by Officer Blake on Dec. 31, on Edna Street, the driver, Tory Thomas, 25, was operating the vehicle with a suspended drivers license and no insurance, he also had \$3,373 on his possession, according to Varnell and McNeil.

Making a vehicular check, Blake discovered several suspicious items. There were several fake containers in the trunk and also had fake a hidden compartment. A WD-40 can and a Fix O Flat can had illegal narcotics hidden inside the fake containers, the report stated.

Approximately 12 grams

of crack cocaine, three grams of powder cocaine, two dosage units of MDMA, (ecstasy) and a bag of marijuana were taken into evidence.

Thomas was charged with possession of a controlled substance with intent to distribute and he posted a bond of \$61,700 at the jail, the report stated.

Detective Brent Anderson is handling the investigation, and Thomas could possibly be facing enhanced penalties since has previous narcotics violations.

The report said the U.S. currency and vehicle of Thomas is in the process of being seized by the Bay Waveland Narcotics Task Force.

Hancock Reserve Cadet classes begin

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS

Publisher Emeritus

The Hancock County Sheriff's Department Reserve Cadet (Deputies) classes began last week, Steve Garber reports.

"During my administration as sheriff, we have conducted three earlier classes, only they were under the auspices of Pearl River Community College," Garber said.

Garber continued, "In September the department applied to the Mississippi Office of Standards and Training of Cadets, and have received certification."

The majority of the classes will be held at Hancock

High with driving to be held at Stennis Airport and Range firing at the Pass Christian range.

The course is approximately 240 hours for Reserve Officers.

The hours of training are from 6 to 10 p.m. each Tuesday night and Thursday, and an all-day session every other Saturday.

Participating in the classes are 30 Reserve Cadets and two refresher students, Garber reported.

The Cadets are from the Picayune, Bay St. Louis, Pass Christian, Ocean Springs Police Departments, in addition to

Hancock and Pearl River Sheriff's offices.

Cadets receive a wide variety of courses with heavy emphasis places on firearms fundamentals, criminal codes, motor vehicle codes, domestic violence, CPR/Standard First Aid, etc. Once a Cadet completes the classes, he or she then enters a Field Training Program by their respective departments, Garber added.

The other departments pay a tuition to the Hancock County Sheriff's office for their cadets to attend the

classes.

"Auxiliary officers help with law enforcement in their respective departments, especially with patrolling, parades, etc.," Garber said.

Reserve deputies donate some 7,000 hours plus a year to the Hancock County Sheriff's Department.

In order for a Cadet to attend the classes, they need to be sponsored by an law enforcement agency.

Garber said he hope to conduct two sessions a year for Cadets.

St. Paul Carnival Association plans \$10,000 drawdown

The St. Paul Carnival Association is sponsoring a \$10,000 Drawdown Party of the Year on Saturday, Jan. 22 at 6:30 p.m. in the gym of St. Paul Catholic School, 151 East Scenic Drive, Pass Christian.

Tickets are \$100 and admit four people. Whole or partial tickets are available

in advance or at the door. Party includes food, drink, entertainment by the Beech Brothers, and a chance to win \$10,000 (Need not be present to win). Everyone is welcome to join the fun and all proceeds benefit St. Paul Catholic School.

For further information, please call 452-7359.

Support the St. Rose Prayer Walk

In conjunction with the St. Rose Building Fund, Bricks are being sold for a prayer walk to the new St. Rose de Lima Community Life Center. Bricks are offered for purchase at \$50.00 each. In addition,

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Harrison-Hancock Baseball League elections

Within the past month both Harrison county groups in the league, Lizana and West Harrison, have withdrawn from the organization. Since the recently elected league president was from West Harrison, a special election will be held on Thursday, Feb. 17.

Presently, Dane Jaynes is acting president in order to conduct required league business until the election. Anyone wishing to submit a nomination for the office of President, should mail his or her written request to H. Boys at P.O. Box 936, Kiln, MS 39556, Attention:

President Nomination. Nomination letters must be received by Sunday, February 6, 2005.

The election will coincide with a registration day, and member parents will be able to vote at all registration locations. Registration information flyers will be sent to area schools within the next week. Anyone wishing additional information should contact his or her local league representative: Dedeaux - Drew Malley @ 586-0183; Kiln - Sean Hennessey @ 586-0356; or Necaise - Andrea Shaw @ 255-4826.

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Cuevas' Quotes

by Ellis C. Cuevas
Publisher Emeritus

Tigers are #1

Bay High's Lady Tigers continue their winning streak and remain as the top girls' basketball team in the state by a unanimous vote by the Associated Press Poll.

Bay High's Lady Tigers head coach Debbie Triplett over the years continues to develop one of the top girls basketball teams in the state.

This year, even with Bay High in the 4-A division they are ranked ahead of even the 5-A teams by the AP Poll and this is a great honor.

Bay High was ever so close last year in taking the 4-A title to follow up with their 2003 state title. The Lady Tigers lost in 2004 in the finals to Northeast Jones.

Coach Triplett over the years always seems to have younger players to fill the ranks of the previous year's grads.

As the 2005 season continues, best of luck to Bay High's Lady Tigers, and wouldn't a perfect season be great.

It seems we bring out the winter garb for a couple days, then bring out the summer wear for a couple days, as this winter progresses.

There was a time when I favored winter, but as I have grown older, I much prefer summer time.

With so many sudden changes in temperature, there seem to be more folks coming down with winter ailments.

Of course, we could be having the mud slide, blizzards and ice storms like folks have in other sections of the country.

Really, I have never been in a place where I

preferred their weather over ours.

Whenever someone from far away recognizes the efforts of a department, business, or person, I feel folks should know about it.

For instance, this past week the Hancock County Sheriff's Department received a letter from the City of Lancaster, PA commending the efforts of Deputy Push Phillips and Investigator John Luther following the arrest of two criminals from their city in Hancock.

Deputy Phillips stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation, and as the letter stated, "... beyond the initial violation to conduct a vehicle stop he would not have determined the vehicle was actually stolen. His absolute ability to observation and determination to conclude his stop successful led to two important arrests ... of career criminals..."

"Many thanks are also included for Investigator John Luther. If not for his investigative knowledge and unwavering search for the truth I would not have been able to file criminal charges within my jurisdiction. ... As a result of this investigation a total of fourteen criminal charges (seven felonies, seven misdemeanors and two summaries) have been filed against both and a third party..."

Detective Damon T. Greathouse from Lancaster City, also added, "The response I like folks have in other sections of the country. Really, I have never been in a place where I

When the beast is already starving

There's nothing sacrosanct about the state's tax structure that lawmakers shouldn't revisit it and make some upward adjustments when the absolute need arises to put more money into the state general fund revenue stream.

Such a time exists now. Otherwise, services that Mississippians prize such as public education, and others upon, face damaging cuts. No rate in our state tax

structure has been increased for over a decade. Meantime, the era of unparalleled economic prosperity we had in the 1990s is long gone. The demand upon state services is even greater and after three years of recession, the yield from existing taxes has declined.

Any prudent state leadership would recognize that politically popular anti-tax slogans such as "enough is enough" can't serve as a tool for governance. In fact, the idea that adequate public services can be provided

without paying for them is a disservice to the people.

Despite what many Mississippians believe, the facts are that we are among the most lightly taxed states in the nation. Only our tax burden is disproportionate.

The group that can least afford it—those at the lowest income rung—because of our high state general sales tax pay proportionately more than those who can afford it the most.

While we're high on sales taxes, we have a low income tax, especially corporate income taxes compared to most other states.

Something's way out of whack when more than two-thirds of income taxes are

paid by individuals in this state (i.e. wage-earners) while less than one-third by corporations.

That proportion is just the reverse of what it is in most other states, where the corporate income tax rates are several points higher than individual income tax rates.

Not so in Mississippi, where the five percent top bracket income tax rate applies to both individuals and corporations.

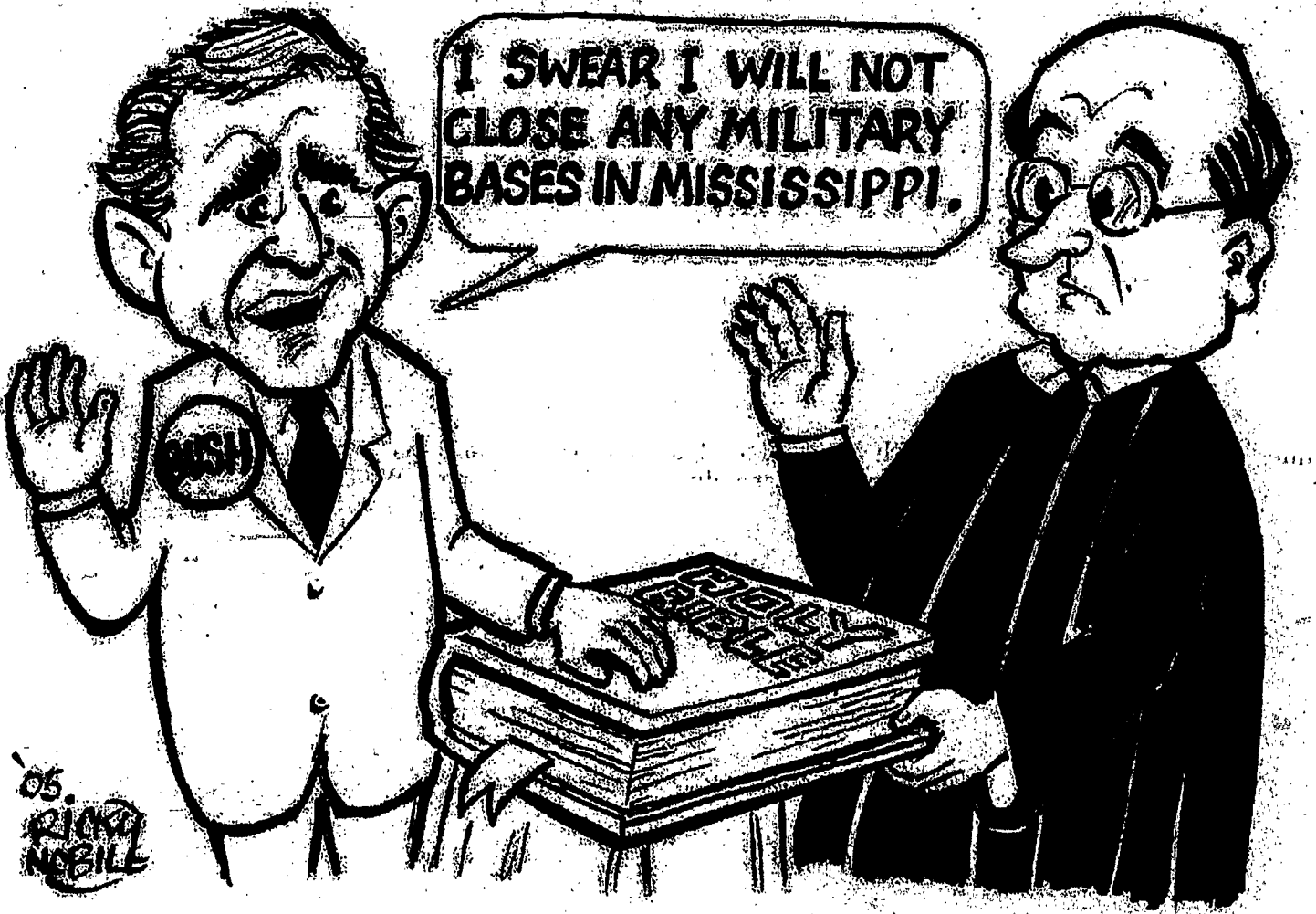
That's the way the powerful manufacturer-business lobby in state Capitol circles wants to keep it, be-damn the fact that our tax burden is disproportionately

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Eyes on Mississippi

By Bill Minor

TRENT LOTT ADDS SOMETHING TO THE SWEARING-IN CEREMONY



Numerous bills filed in latest legislative session

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Here's a glance at some of the bills filed for consideration by the 2005 Mississippi Legislature. Monday was the deadline for members to file general bills; there is a later deadline to file appropriations or revenue bills.

Agriculture: Merge the Forestry Commission into the state Department of Agriculture and Commerce, as requested by Gov. Haley Barbour.

All-terrain vehicles: Only licensed drivers or people who have completed a specific training course can drive all-terrain vehicles; people younger than 16 must wear helmets on ATVs.

Athletics: Require students in grades 7-12 to maintain at least a 2.0 grade point average to play school sports.

Automobile insurance: Require proof of liability insurance before a car tag can be issued.

Baseball: Prohibit the use of non-wooden baseball or softball bats in any public

school competition.

Clean air: Ban smoking in most enclosed public spaces in the state, but not in restaurants, bars, casinos, private clubs or certain other buildings. Separate bills would ban most smoking in "family restaurants" that serve people younger than 18, allowing it only in a separate, enclosed bar area.

Death penalty: Several bills have been filed to abolish or restrict the use of capital punishment.

Drivers licenses: Allow the parent of any driver younger than 18 to ask the state to cancel the minor's license.

DUI: Several bills have been filed to make drunken-driving laws stricter.

Elections: Abolish party primaries.

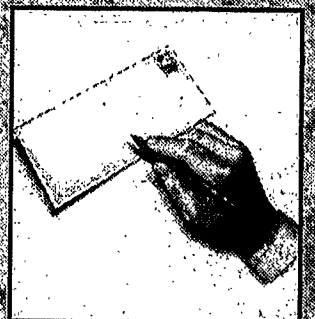
Firefighters: Authorize them to keep their badge and helmet when they retire.

Gaming courses: Allow public universities and community colleges to teach certain gaming management, accounting and law/enforce-

Letters to the Editor

Our letters policy

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ment courses.

History: Develop a Mississippi civil rights museum.

Horse racing: Legalize betting on horse races.

Judges: Eliminate the process known as "running with the herd," which requires candidates to run against each other for open district judge positions as opposed to holding separate elections for each post.

Juvenile justice: Remove the two state training schools from supervision of the Department of Human Services and create a new Department of Juvenile Justice.

Marriage: Delete requirements for a blood test and a three-day waiting period to get a marriage license.

Medicaid: Restore coverage to people in the optional Poverty Level Aged and Disabled category.

Methamphetamine: Put limits on the sale of pseudoephedrine, an over-the-counter drug that's one of the ingredients used to make crystal methamphetamine.

Open records and meetings: Require public boards to be more specific in giving reasons for going into executive session; limit charges for public records.

Religion: One bill would allow the display of the Ten Commandments in any public building. Another would require schools that teach evolution to also teach scientific creationism.

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SSC Alumni reunion Saturday



Members of the St. Stanislaus College's football team graduating class of 1955 included; top row left; Charles Rick, Douglas Talbot, Woody Santa Cruz, Alvin Scaffidi, Frank Hille and James Schexnayder, bottom row from left, Robert Duke, Maurice Artigues, Richard Fakier, and Corey Wittman. Not pictured was Louis Ladner. The Annual SSC Alumni Reception will be held Saturday from 7 to 11 p.m. at Our Lady of the Gulf Community Center, 228 South Beach, Blvd., Bay St. Louis. Photo courtesy of Woody Santa Cruz.

Minor -- starving beast

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weighted against the consumer, the little guy.

For over 25 years, state legislators have had a joint Legislative Budget Office (so-called ELBO) that tells them how to spend money from the General Fund, but they have no joint revenue committee to recommend ways to raise additional tax money when they desperately need it.

Further, a revenue committee could tell them who is paying an unfair share of taxes and who isn't carrying enough of the load, so that any adjustment of taxes to get more money from the revenue system is equitable.

With a revenue gap as much as \$700 million to \$900 million below adequate funding of state services in 2006, more legislators realize they can no longer duck the T-word, something that few had courage to mention in the past.

It doesn't help at this stage to have 20-20 hindsight that this train wreck between funding vital services and money available was foreseen by some three years ago.

But lawmakers began using "one-time money" (non-recurring revenue) from every conceivable source. Then worse, last year, they even dipped into the supposedly untouchable

Tobacco Trust fund to patch together a technically balanced state budget without adding some new tax sources.

Trumpeting his campaign mantra to avoid taxes at all costs, Governor Barbour in 2004 put his imprimatur on another Band-Aid, rob-Peter-to-pay-Paul budget that left key services, such as public education and Medicaid, the sole health care source of many thousands, desperately short of money.

Some legislators I've talked with seem anxious for somebody to come forward with a tax plan that can prevent deep spending cuts in vital programs.

They're getting no help or even a sign of hope from Barbour that he will come down off his anti-tax horse. And now, a cabal of anti-tax lawmakers calling themselves the "conservative caucus" has been heard from, making them part of the problem, not the solution.

Nor does the state Senate, with a slight majority of elected Democrats, but run by Republicans who want to talk about nothing other than cuts, cuts, cuts.

One small glimmer of change has come from influential Sen. Jack Gordon, (D) of Okolona, the head of Senate Appropriations who often sounds like a

Republican but plays the field. Significantly, Gordon has backed off his previous opposition to raising the woefully-low cigarette tax to help fund Medicaid.

Any meaningful revenue plan should start with a one percent increase in the top bracket of the state income tax, putting the rate back to six percent where it was in 1965. Every nearby Southern state except Tennessee has a top income rate one or two points higher than our five percent.

Tennessee doesn't have an individual income tax, however it does have a corporate income tax that's stiffer than ours. While it beat back an individual income tax a year ago Tennessee pushed up its sales tax, shifting more of the tax load on low income people.

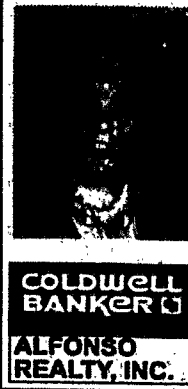
Mississippi's seven-cent sales tax, with food taxed at the full rate, is already at the top nationally. Certainly no equitable tax plan would propose an increase in our sales tax, and hopefully would reduce the rate on groceries.

Gutsy Rep. John Mayo (D) Clarksdale last year came up with a proposed modest across-the-board increase in five taxes other than the sales tax, anchored by a six percent top income tax rate. It went nowhere, but is a good starting point

now as lawmakers get more serious about taxes.

Barbour came down from Washington, D. C. determined to impose what had been coined in the Reagan era as "starve the beast," the doctrine to shrink government.

If he didn't know it beforehand, Haley couldn't have found a skinnier "beast" to tackle than the one we had down here. Slim-Fast might be the right diet for himself, but not this state.



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You must be living in your home on or before January 1, 2005 to qualify for Homestead Exemption.

The following information is needed to file your application.

- Warranty deed
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- Down payment amount
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- Drivers license

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- If any part of the property used commercially

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- You became 65 between January 2, 2004 and January 1, 2005
- You became 100% disabled on or before January 1, 2005
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- You acquired additional property that **ADJOINS** your current homestead
- You acquired a new residence
- Your marital status changed

If you have any questions please feel free to call 228-467-4425 or 888-409-6651.

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Bills -- session

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School bonds: Require a simple majority rather than a 60 percent margin for a school bond issue to be approved.

Tanning beds: Ban use by children younger than 14, and require people ages 14-18 to get parent's permission to use.

Terrorism: Require the state College Board to adopt

policies for providing information requested by the FBI, the CIA, the INS or the Office of Homeland Security for anti-terrorism investigations.

Toll roads: Allow the state Transportation Commission, county boards of supervisors or city officials to build toll roads or bridges.

Speeding: Several bills would allow sheriffs to use radar to nab speeders. Similar proposals have died for years.

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Obituaries

GRETA ALEXANDRIA MARY BLACKSTOCK ROBERT DOE ELOUISE HAYES PAUL LOMBARDINO JAMES PERKINS DANIEL ROOD VADA SAUCIER JASON SHEPETHIS THELMA WEINDEL CAROL ANN WOODS

GRETA ALEXANDRIA Greta Saucier Alexandria, 70, was born to Julian and Vivian Saucier on April 18, 1934 in Bay St. Louis. Greta was baptized at St. Rose de Lima Catholic Church. She also attended St. Rose de Lima school where she graduated with honors in 1952. She was employed with the postal service for 20 years as a postal clerk.

She was preceded in death by her father and mother; her husband, Alvin, her sons, Alvin Jr. and Fabian, and her brother, Kenneth. Greta leaves to cherish her memories, her daughter, Anna Humphrey of Waveland; her sons, Michael and Raynard Alexandria, both of Los Angeles; six grandchildren; three sisters, Lios Johnson and Jane Hepburn, both of Los Angeles and Connie Lewis of Lancaster, CA; three brothers, Donald Saucier of Bremerton, WA, Alvin Holmes, Jacksonville, FL and Calvin Rochon of O'Fallon, MO; nieces, nephews, cousins and extended family and friends.

Visitation will be Sat. 1-22-05 from 9-10 a.m. at St. Rose de Lima Catholic Church, Bay St. Louis with services following at 10 a.m. Burial will be at St. Mary's Cemetery, Bay St. Louis.

MARY BLACKSTOCK Mary Virginia Jones Blackstock, 77 of Waveland, MS died Friday, January 14, 2005 in Gulfport, MS.

She was a native of Yazoo City, MS and a longtime resident of Waveland, MS. She was of the Baptist faith and a member of the First Baptist Church in Bay St. Louis, MS.

She is preceded in death by 2 husbands, John Baker McCall, Sr., Marshall Milo Blackstock, Sr., 2 sons, John Baker McCall, Jr., Marshall "Marty" Milo Blackstock, Jr., parents, Burrus E. & Virginia K. Jones.

She is survived by her 2 daughters, Sandra McCall Sutton of Galveston, TX, Marsha Dawn Blackstock of Waveland, MS, brother, Burrus E. Jones of Sylva, NC, 4 sisters, JoAnn J. Lee of Greenville, MS, Gladys Jones Ward of Yazoo City, MS, Linda Jones Russell of Cleveland, MS, Lucie Jones Riggsbee of Sylva, NC, 3 grandchildren, Thomas Grant Sutton, Lea McCall Sutton Walker, Milea Virginia Blackstock, 2 great grandchildren, Hannah Christine Sutton, and Katherine "Kate" McCall Walker.

Funeral services were held Monday, Jan. 17, Interment followed in the Short Creek Cemetery in Yazoo City, MS. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis was in charge of the arrangements.

ROBERT DOE Robert Eldon Doe, 83, of Pass Christian, MS, died Friday, January 14, 2005, in Gulfport, MS.

Mr. Doe was born May 10, 1921, in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, and had been a resident of Pass Christian since 1981. He was awarded the Canadian King (Eagle) Scout Rank, and served as a lieutenant in the Royal Canadian Navy during World War II. Mr. Doe graduated with a science degree from the University of British Columbia and received honors in math and physics.

Mr. Doe retired as senior geophysicist after 33 years with Chevron Geosciences in Houston, Texas. He served the Pass Christian community as an elder at Pineville Presbyterian

Church, was a member of Pass Christian Yacht Club, was treasurer of Pass Christian Historical Society, was civic chairman for the Pass Christian Garden Club, and was the first director of the Little Theatre at PCYC. He was an avid gardener and fisherman.

Mr. Doe was preceded in death by a son, Harold "Harry" Kendal Doe; parents, Joseph Eldon and Mary Josephine Robertson Doe; brother, James Harrington Doe; and sister, Dorothy Clare Doe. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Shirley M. Doe; son, Thomas Harrington Doe and his wife, Kay Koschany Doe, of Conroe, Texas; son, Dr. Richard Alexander Doe, of Menlo Park, CA; and grandson, Christopher Robert Doe, of Arlington, Texas.

A gathering of family and friends will be held from 2:00 p.m. until a memorial service begins at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 20, 2005, at Pineville Presbyterian Church, 4476 Menge Avenue, Pass Christian, MS 39571, with Chaplain J. Walter Poorman officiating.

The family requests memorial contributions to Pineville Presbyterian Church in lieu of flowers.

ELOUISE HAYES

Elouise Margaret Klein Hayes, 80, died Tuesday, January 18, 2005 in Gulfport, MS.

She was born July 8, 1924 in New Orleans, LA and a longtime resident of Waveland, MS for the past 43 years. She was of the Catholic faith and a member of St. Clare Catholic Church in Waveland, MS. She retired as a Practical Nurse.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Thomas G. Hayes, Jr., parents, Frank George and Angelina Mascair Klein, 2 brothers, Marcus Klein, Edward Klein, and a sister, Anna Mae Loustalot.

Elouise is survived by her daughter, Linda Louise Hayes Flanagan and husband Wayne of Pearl, MS, son, Thomas George Hayes, III of Bay St. Louis, MS, brother, Frank George Klein, Jr. of Slidell, LA, and 1 grandson, Thomas Wayne Flanagan of Pearl, MS, as well as a host of nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held on Friday, January 21, 2005 at St. Clare Catholic Church in Waveland, MS from 10:00 A.M. until 11:30 A.M. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11:30 A.M. Burial will be at 2:00 P.M. in St. Vincent dePaul Cemetery #3 in New Orleans, LA. The Family wishes to thank Driftwood Nursing Center for the kindness and care shown to

our mother. In Lieu of flowers the family request donations in Elouise's name to St. Clare Catholic Church, 236 S. Beach Blvd., Waveland, MS. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis, MS is in charge of the arrangements.

PAUL LOMBARDINO

Paul F. Lombardino, 56, died Monday, January 10, 2005. Mr. Lombardino was a resident of Waveland, MS, and a mechanic by trade.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Eulalieah Schmitz; his parents, Peter and Florine Lombardino; and one brother, Francis Lombardino.

Mr. Lombardino is survived by one daughter, Christine Schmitz of Waveland; two sons, Michael Schmitz of Pass Christian and Stan Kolidas of Gulfport; two brothers, Peter Lombardino of Bay St. Louis and Peter Gregoire of Oxford, WI; and four grandchildren.

A visitation service will be Wednesday, January 19, 2005, from 1:00 to 2:00 pm at the Riemann Funeral Home Chapel in Bay St. Louis, MS, followed by a memorial service at 2:00 pm. Burial will be at the Gardens of Memories Cemetery in Bay St. Louis.

An online guestbook may be viewed and signed via www.riemannfuneralhomes.com.

JAMES PERKINS

James Monroe Perkins, age 77, died Monday, January 17, 2005 in Wiggins, MS.

Mr. Perkins was a native and lifelong resident of Hancock County, MS. He was a member of Wolf Creek Baptist Church.

Mr. Perkins was preceded in death by his parents, Charlie and Ella Rester Perkins.

He is survived by his sister, Vera Anderson and her husband Edward of Perkinson, MS, and numerous nieces and nephews.

The funeral service will be Thursday, January 20 at Wolf Creek Baptist Church, Wolf Creek Rd., Pass Christian, MS, at 2:00 p.m. The visitation will be from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Church.

Burial will follow at the Wolf Creek Cemetery. The family prefers memorial contributions to Wolf Creek Baptist Church @ 26041 Wolf Creek Rd. Pass Christian, MS 39571.

Riemann Memorial Funeral Home Hwy. 49 North Gulfport, MS, is in charge of arrangements.

VADA SAUCIER

Vada Mae Barrett Saucier, 83, of Pass Christian, died Sunday, January 16, 2005, in Pass Christian. Mrs. Barrett was

a loving mother, grandmother, and homemaker.

Mrs. Barrett was preceded in death by her parents, John Edgar & Miranda Elizabeth Barrett, 3 husbands, George E. Switzer, Sr., Burton Patton, Sr., Francis Saucier, daughter, Georgia O'Connor, 3 grandchildren, Russell Howard, Vivian Ishee, Joey Switzer, brother, James Barrett, 2 sisters, Katie Barrett, and Martha Harris.

Survivors include her companion, of 30 years, Ronnie Hartsell of Pass Christian, 5 sons, Roy Switzer of Pass Christian, Aaron Patton of Houma, LA, Frank Patton of Gulfport, Steve Hartsell, Gene Hartsell both of Nashville, TN, 4 daughters, Judy Cuevas of Pass Christian, Linda Thurman of McHenry, MS, Beth Armstrong, of Pass Christian, Christine Miller of Gulfport, 3 brothers, Clarence Barrett of Billings, MT, Delcie Barrett of Lumberton, MS, Ben Barrett, 2 sisters, Eva Reynolds of Long Beach, Hattie Barron of Hattiesburg, 29 grandchildren, and 44 great-grandchildren.

Visitation was held Tuesday, January 18, 2005, at Orange Grove Chapel of Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home on O'Neal Road in Gulfport, with burial at Coalville Cemetery.

DANIEL ROOD

Daniel (Danny) Timothy Rood, 42, died Mon., Jan. 10, 2005 in New Orleans, LA. Mr. Rood was born in New Orleans and was a resident of Waveland. He worked for

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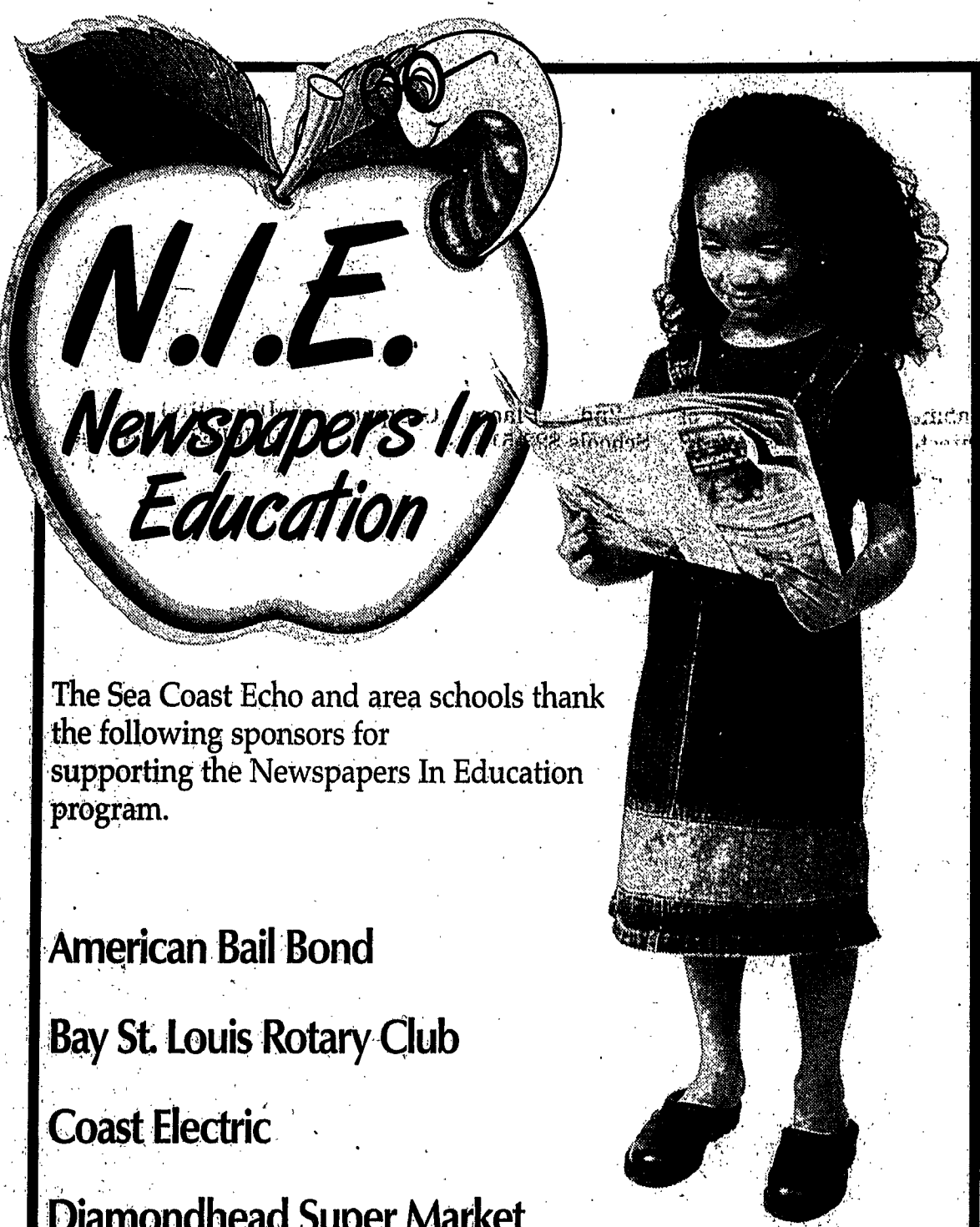
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BUSINESS NEWS

Tax collections exceed estimates, but not enough to fill budget gap

BY SHELLA BYRD

Associated Press

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Mississippi's revenue collections for the first half of the fiscal year exceeded estimates, but the pace of growth wasn't enough to pull the state out of its budget crisis, officials said Tuesday.

Year-to-date revenue growth is 1.3 percent over the estimate for the current fiscal year. From July 1 through Dec. 31, the state collected \$21.7 million more than expected in sales taxes, corporate income, insurance premiums and other revenue.

The state was below its estimate this time last year, said Robert Sumrall, deputy director of the Legislative Budget Office.

House Appropriations Chairman Johnny Stringer, D-Montrose, didn't appear

encouraged by the latest revenue figures.

"If we had 20 percent growth in revenue, we could get out of this," Stringer said, referring to the state's budget shortfall.

State agencies have requested \$624.1 million more than the \$3.8 billion that will be available to spend in the fiscal year that starts July 1.

Some of the toughest spending decisions will be made for public education and Medicaid — both behemoth agencies requesting budget increases. In addition, Medicaid said it's running a \$268 million deficit in the

"It just keeps getting worse," Stringer said.

For several years, lawmakers devised spending plans based on optimistic revenue growth estimates, and collections often failed

to reach expectations. It was practice that drew criticism from Democrat Ronnie Musgrove when he was governor last term.

During the 2001 legislative session, Musgrove vetoed budgets for most state agencies because the spending was based on hopeful estimates. Lawmakers overrode his vetoes, and Musgrove was later forced to cut budgets when tax collections fell short of expectations.

"It is clear today that the year Ronnie Musgrove vetoed that bill, if we had not overridden that veto, we would not be in this box today," Rep. George Flagg, D-Vicksburg, a member of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee, said Tuesday.

Republican Gov. Haley Barbour's executive budget gives the state \$4.5 billion to spend in 2006, but the

governor can base his spending plans on money that may not be available to legislative budget writers under current laws.

For instance, Barbour wants to give to Medicaid the \$20 million a year that has been used for smoking prevention programs aimed at teens and preteens. The money is a portion of the state's tobacco lawsuit settlement and has been going, by court order, to a private group called The Partnership for a Healthy Mississippi.

Flaggs said the Budget Committee's \$3.8 billion budget for the coming year is "conservative." He believes the revenue collections will continue to exceed the estimates.

"By March, we'll have to readjust," Flagg said. "But it will be nowhere near enough to cover the gap."

United Way hosts Evening of Champions

The United Way of South Mississippi celebrated an Evening of Champions Thursday night at the Imperial Palace Hotel and Casino, honoring volunteers and recognizing top company campaigns.

Awards were presented in 11 campaign divisions representing large and small businesses within Harrison, Hancock and Pearl River Counties that participated in the 2004 campaign.

UWSM Campaign Cabinet and the Board of Directors set a goal of \$2 million, and to date has received \$1,908,721 in cash and pledges. Pat Nichols of DuPont and the 2004 campaign chair stated that, "We know we set an aggressive goal. Our efforts were somewhat hampered by hurricane Ivan, but we are still optimistic about reaching the goal within the next few weeks as companies continue to report pledge results. We are excited about the positive impact that this money will make in the communities served by United Way and its 35 partner agencies."

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1st Place International Game Technology \$ 875
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LG Business
2nd Place Grand Casino (Gulfport, Biloxi, Grand Bear and Caesar's Entertainment) \$181,769
1st Place Isle of Capri Casino Resort and Corp. Office \$202,017

INDUSTRY DIVISION - Anthony Topazi (Mississippi Power) Chair

SM Business
2nd Place CDI \$ 5,981
1st Place Calgon \$11,926
LG Business
2nd Place DuPont \$116,308

1st Place Mississippi Power Company \$260,264
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Roy Anderson Corp. - first time running a campaign, raising over \$29,000 in pledges

HEALTH CARE DIVISION Gary Marchand (Memorial Hospital at Gulfport) Chair

LG Business
2nd Place Memorial Hospital \$16,781
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SM Business

2nd Place First Bank & Trust \$1,200

1st Place A. G. Edwards \$7,994

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1st Place Hancock Bank \$88,274

EDUCATION DIVISION - Paul Tisdale Chair

SM Organization
2nd Place Pass Christian Schools \$ 5,411

1st Place Bay-Waveland Schools \$11,822

LG Organization
2nd Place Gulfport Schools \$23,514

1st Place Harrison County Schools \$46,213

GOVERNMENT DIVISION - Brian Sanderson Chair

SM Business
2nd Place City of Pass Christian \$1,429

1st Place Southern MS Planning and Development Comm. \$4,319

LG Business
2nd Place City of Biloxi \$3,315

1st Place South Mississippi Regional Center \$5,573

Applause Award
Southern Mississippi Planning & Development Commission - 60% increase in pledges

HARRISON COUNTY DIVISION - Ron Barnes Chair

SM Business
2nd Place Balch and Bingham \$7,425

1st Place Bryant, Dukes & Blakeslee \$8,354

LG Business
2nd Place BellSouth \$15,500

1st Place The Sun Herald \$52,988

Applause Award
Belk - 2nd year to run a campaign and almost doubled their donations.

HANCOCK COUNTY DIVISION - Tish Williams Chair

2nd Place Charlie Henderson Ford \$1,784

1st Place Sea Coast Echo \$3,120

LG Business
2nd Place Anteon \$3,780

1st Place Wal-Mart \$4,109

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SM Business
2nd Place REMAX \$1,035

1st Place Picayune Item \$1,378

LG Business
1st Place Wal-Mart \$3,126

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TER DIVISION - Dave Geiger Chair

SM Business
2nd Place Mason Technologies, Inc. (MTI) \$4,366

1st Place Lockheed Martin Systems Company (LMSS) \$9,937

LG Business
2nd Place Mississippi Space Services \$18,313

1st Place Boeing Company \$43,582

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SM Business
2nd Place Gulf Coast Women's Center for Non-Violence \$4,088

1st Place United Way of South Mississippi \$4,160

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2nd Place Goodwill Industries of South Mississippi \$2,927

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**Campaign Total as of January 13th \$1,908,721

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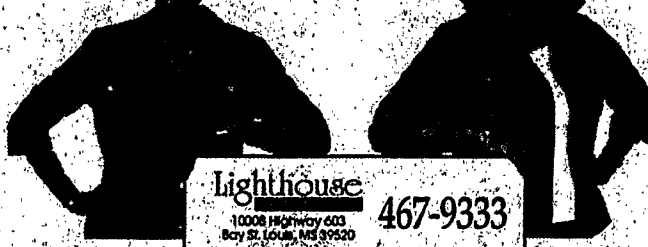
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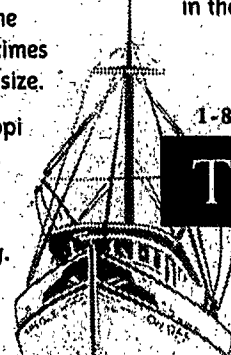
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BUNDLES OF JOY Hancock Women's Club members Mary Gilmore, left, of Waveland and treasurer Dottie Kingmill of Bay St. Louis delivered sixty newborn sleepers, blankets and pairs of socks to Hancock Medical Center's First Impressions nursery staff. The tiny outfits and accessories in pastel shades will be distributed to new moms as needed, according to obstetric unit nursing supervisor Judy Bordelon. "We are grateful to the Hancock Women's Club for bringing smiles to those new mothers," she said.

Obituaries

Brown and Root as a crane oiler, and was a member of Central Bible Church of Waveland.

Mr. Rood was preceded in death by his father-in-law, Shelton Bermond, Sr.

He is survived by his wife, Sandra Bermond Rood; one daughter, Candi Danielle Brooks of San Antonio, TX; two step-sons Shannon Bermond of Bay St. Louis and Randall Knight of Mr. Washington, KY; his parents, Charles Rood of Lakeshore MS, and Doris Bates Johnson of Alexandria, LA; two grandmothers, Gladys Johnson of Clermont Harbor, MS and Agnes Chagnard of Slidell, LA; one brother, Charles Rood, Jr., of Youngville, LA; one sister, Paula Rood of Bay St. Louis; and numerous family members and friends.

A visitation service was held Thursday, Jan. 13 at Central Bible Church in Waveland from 10 p.m. until 2 p.m. The burial service followed with interment at St. Mary's Cemetery in Bay St. Louis. Riemann Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis was in charge of arrangements.

JASON SHEPETIS
Jason Michael Shepetis, 3

years old, of Bay St. Louis, MS, died Wednesday, January 12, 2005 in Bay St. Louis, MS. He was born on August 16, 2001 in Gulfport, MS and lived with his family in Bay St. Louis, MS. He is survived by his parents, Jon Peter and Kammy Tribus Shepetis of Bay St. Louis, MS, brother, Daniel B. Shepetis and sister, Margianne M. Shepetis both of Bay St. Louis, MS, paternal grandparents, Marj & Daniel Shepetis of Hubert, NC, maternal grandparents, Myron & Sue Tribus of Pensacola, FL, Beloved Nurse, Althea Vontoure of Bay St. Louis, MS and numerous aunts and uncles. A visitation was held on Tuesday, January 18, 2005 at the Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis, MS. A Memorial Service followed at the Funeral Home. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis, MS is in charge of the arrangements.

THELMA WEINDEL

Thelma Dubuison Weindel, age 82 and a resident of Metairie, LA, died Friday, January 14, 2005, in Metairie.

Mrs. Weindel was a native of Pass Christian,

MS, and was a retired employee of Ochsner Hospital in Jefferson, LA.

Mrs. Weindel was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond John Weindel, Jr.; parents, Louise and Claudis Dubuison; and stepmother, Elvena Garriga. She is survived by sons, Raymond John Weindel III, Alexander Hitt Weindel, and Samuel Thomas Weindel; daughters, Linda Weindel Villani, Barbara Weindel Barras, half-sister, Mary Beth Dubuison; brother, Carl Dubuison and his wife, Fae; half-brothers, Herschel Dubuison and Gary Dubuison; grandchildren, Raymond John IV, Christopher, Jonathan, Tiffany, Jennifer, Kristi, Kyle, Thomas, and Amy; and five great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held on January 19, at Riemann Funeral Home Chapel in Pass Christian, followed by burial in DeLisle Cemetery.

CARROL ANN WOODS

Carrol Ann Woods, 56, of Pass Christian, MS, died January 13, 2005, in Gulfport, MS.

She was a member of Tremont United Methodist Church, Bronx, NY. Carrol

graduated from Alcorn State University with a B.S. in English. She received Master Degrees in Special Education and Early Childhood Education from Aldephi University in New York.

She was preceded in death by her father, Warren W. Woods, Sr.; one son, Ricky L. Woods; one sister, Naomi E. Harris; and one brother, Warren W. Woods, Jr.

Her survivors include: her mother, Dorothy Hill Woods; one son, T.J. Woods, both of Pass Christian, MS; one daughter, Tia L. Woods of Atlanta, GA; two sisters, Cynthia D. Joyner of Birmingham, AL, Marcia E. (Lish) Holloway of Gulfport, MS; four brothers, Otis (Ellen) Woods of Gulfport, MS, Kevin D. Woods of Pass Christian, MS, Eric Scott (Mona) Woods of Parrish, ND, Anthony E. (LaMiko) Woods of Tuscaloosa, AL; two grandchildren, Kayla M. Woods, Justin Brian Woods both of Tulsa, OK; many relatives and friends.

Funeral services: 12 Noon, Tuesday, January 18, 2005, Goodwill Missionary Baptist Church, Pass Christian, MS. MS. Lockett-Williams was in charge of arrangements.

Discharge of firearms case heads to Hancock Circuit Court Grand Jury

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS
Publisher Emeritus

A discharging of a firearms report on Dec. 12, led police to cash, marijuana and arresting a Bay St. Louis man, according to a news release from Bay St. Louis and Waveland Police

Chiefs Frank McNeil and Jimmy Varnell.

"Wilbert Fairconnetue, 31, of Bay St. Louis was transported to the Hancock County Criminal Justice Facility and charged with the alleged possession of a controlled substance, with

intent to distribute, possession of drug paraphernalia and disorderly conduct," the chiefs report said.

Bay Waveland Narcotics Task Force Detectives Ian Estorffe and Brent Anderson responded to Commerce Park in the Bay

at 11:49 a.m. on Dec. 16. An anonymous complaint was received concerning the discharging of firearms. Detectives spoke to several subjects in the park and noticed one behaving in a very suspicious manner.

Fairconnetue refused to

comply with police requests and was taken into custody. \$3,800 was discovered in his pants pocket. Detectives then conducted an inventory of Fairconnetue's vehicle and over 1 pound was found in a back pack in the vehicle. There was also a digital

scale and numerous plastic bags, according to the report, and Fairconnetue is facing enhanced penalties due to the fact that a large amount of narcotics were discovered in his vehicle while it was parked in a public park.

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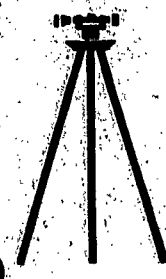
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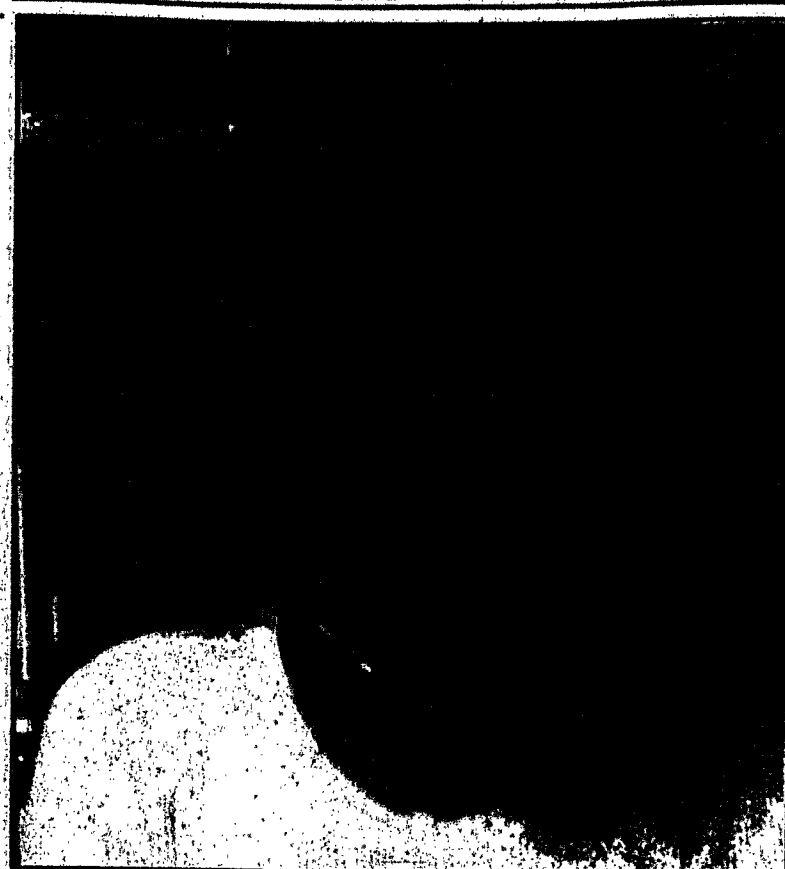
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Sue Prendergast

Sue Prendergast named Waveland Library manager

THE SEA COAST ECHO
Sue Prendergast has been named branch manager of the Waveland Public Library, according to Prima Plaque, Hancock County Library System Director.

Prendergast's duties include day-to-day management of the Waveland Public Library including customer services, programs for adults and children, reference and research assistance and public use computer services. Prendergast holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in English from the University

of Southern Mississippi. She has been employed by the library system since 1998, and served as the Assistant Coordinator of Reference and Information Services.

"The Hancock County Library System (HCLS) is fortunate to have Sue on our team," said Prima Plaque, HCLS Director. "She is truly an asset to the customers of the Waveland Public Library."

More information is available by calling the Waveland Public Library at 467-9240.

Library receives Humanities grant

The Hancock County Library System received a Mississippi Humanities Council mini-grant to fund a Black History Month program by Billie Jean Young, a veteran African-American stage actress.

A prolific poet, activist and dramatist, Young's many artistic endeavors include her poetry collec-

tion, My Name is Black. Young is scheduled to present the program Tuesday, February 22 at 7 p.m. at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library as part of the library system's Authors & Characters @ Your Library series.

For more information contact Jamie Elston at 467-5282.

Krewe of D'head parade set for Feb. 5

THE SEA COAST ECHO
The Krewe of Diamondhead's 30th annual Mardi Gras Parade will be here faster than you think.

The parade is scheduled to roll the streets of Diamondhead on Saturday, Feb. 5. Parade Lieutenant Ray Sheehy has been working very hard to make the parade this year the best ever. Sheehy said, "We'll have more trucks/floats than ever before."

"There'll be loads of surprises and this year the

judging will be done on the route and awards will be made at the reviewing stand in front of the Country Club by Captain Benny Mistretta at the parade end."

The parade will begin at the Community Center at noon and travel to the Country Club using the same route as previous years.

King Mario and Queen Charlotte will greet their royal subjects from atop the Krewe's Royal Float.

Tax forms and tax help @ your library

THE SEA COAST ECHO

Free federal and state income tax forms are now arriving at all four branches of the Hancock County Library System -- Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library, Kiln Public Library, Pearlport Public Library and Waveland Public Library.

The basic forms, 1040, 1040A and 1040EZ, the companion instruction booklets, and state income tax booklets are currently available. More forms are yet to come.

The reproducible books that contain forms for copying have not arrived, but should arrive soon.

The AARP Tax Aides are

scheduled for free tax assistance at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library every Tuesday and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. beginning February 1. Tax assistance is available at the Kiln Public Library every Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. beginning February 3. Electronic filing is offered at both sites.

More information on tax forms is available by calling the Easy Access Info Line at the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library at 467-5282, extension 13.

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Members of Bay High DECA

Bay High School DECA members advance to state competition

THE SEA COAST ECHO Bay High School DECA members recently competed in various competency based competitive events at the Mississippi Southern Region DECA Competition held at Pearl River Community College in Poplarville.

DECA is an association for marketing and cooperative education students. The top six winners in each event will advance to the State Competition in Jackson on February 24-26, along with other students involved with written DECA projects that go directly to state.

Bay High winners were: Val Myles and Trey Hamilton, 5th place Travel and Tourism Management Decision Making Team;

Hannah Johnson and Mignon May, 3rd place Financial Analysis Management Decision Making Team; Taryn Green and Rebecca McWilliams, 2nd place Hospitality Services Management Decision Making Team; Deshauna Dawson, 3rd place Business Services Marketing; Aaron Sand, 3rd place Food Marketing-Associate Level; Josh Kennedy, 3rd place Food Marketing-Management Level; Jeff Baudin, 2nd place Quick Serve Restaurant Management; and Jake Fauntleroy, 6th place Vehicles and Petroleum Marketing. Becca Hubbard, Marie LaFrance, and Jennifer Lenain presented the Bay High DECA scrapbook in

the Chapter of the Year competition, placing 2nd and advancing to State.

Bay High served as host chapter for the competition due to having two of the Mississippi State DECA Officers. They are Greg Lamier, Southern Region Vice President and Catherine Poore, State Secretary.

Pam Naylor, Cooperative Education Teacher and Julie Nichols, Marketing Teacher serve as DECA Advisors. Mrs. Nichols will also be competing for the Mississippi State DECA Advisor of the Year title. She was voted Southern Region DECA Advisor of the Year at the recent conference by her peers.

Exotic -- pet ban

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the city limits. A public hearing on the proposed ordinance will be held on Tuesday, February 15, at 5:30 p.m. at the city hall annex.

If the ordinance is approved it will require owners or custodians of exotic pets to apply for a personal possession permit, which they must obtain within three months after the ordinance is passed. In order to obtain the permit a person must be in legal possession of the exotic or wild animal prior to the effective date of the ordinance.

After that date no new exotic or wild animal will be permitted under the authority of the personal possession permit, effectively banning the animals from the city. Current owners will be required to renew their permits annually. Permit fees will not exceed \$100, or \$500 for owners of multiple animals, the proposal states.

Rules for care are also set out in the ordinance. Exotic or wild animal owners must provide proof of veterinary care. The animals must be provided adequate shelter and may not be tethered, leashed or chained outdoors are allowed to run loose.

If transported, the animals must be properly caged. Ownership of the animal may only be transferred to another person in possession of a permit. If the animal dies or before it is euthanized the owner will be required to notify the

animal control officer or an American Zoo and Aquarium Association facility.

If an exotic or wild animal escapes or is intentionally set free the owner will be liable for any expenses incurred in the recapture of the animal. The ordinance also allows for reasonable inspection of the premises where the animal is kept.

Should the owner be deemed in violation of any of the terms of ordinance a permit may be refused, or revoked and the animal confiscated. The fate of a confiscated or escaped animal will be at the discretion of the animal control officer. Appeals will be filed with the City Municipal Court.

In October residents asked council to come up with a way to regulate the possession of potentially dangerous animals. A petition with 180 signatures was presented at that time. The group said they did not want to prohibit the animals, but were seeking regulation for their care. The escaped snake had apparently been kept in a bathroom.

In other business: Council decided that the 300 block of State St. will remain one-way due to overwhelming requests by residents. At a meeting earlier this month council had voted to make both Court St. and the 300 block of State St. two-way. Court St. is now officially two-way, council said.

Stabbing

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Hancock Medical Center for treatment. The sheriff's department has not yet released the victim's name.

Sheriff Garber urges anyone with any information to

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1946: Churches to take census in the Bay



TEN YEARS AGO

January 19, 1995 - Officials of Koch-Gateway Pipeline Co. have reassured Bay St. Louis city officials the company plans to make up the city's financial losses from last week's natural gas system shutdown. In a recent letter to Mayor Eddie Favre, the firm also promised to upgrade a key valve that was left in the "closed" position, shutting off all service to the city. In addition, the company is promising to install an alarm and monitoring system, to avert similar incidents in the future. City gas customers lost all service Jan. 11, prompting an around-the-clock scramble by city employees to shut off every gas meter in the city and service area. Once the valve problem was corrected, city workers had to reopen every gas meter and turn on customer pilot lights.

Tempers flared Tuesday night when Bay St. Louis City Council members dove into the issue of a proposed seawall extension north of Bay View Court. Council agreed to hold a Monday meeting with city staffers involved in the various beachfront projects, hoping to clear confusion over the matter. A later meeting presumably will be scheduled with private property owners who live opposite the area at issue.

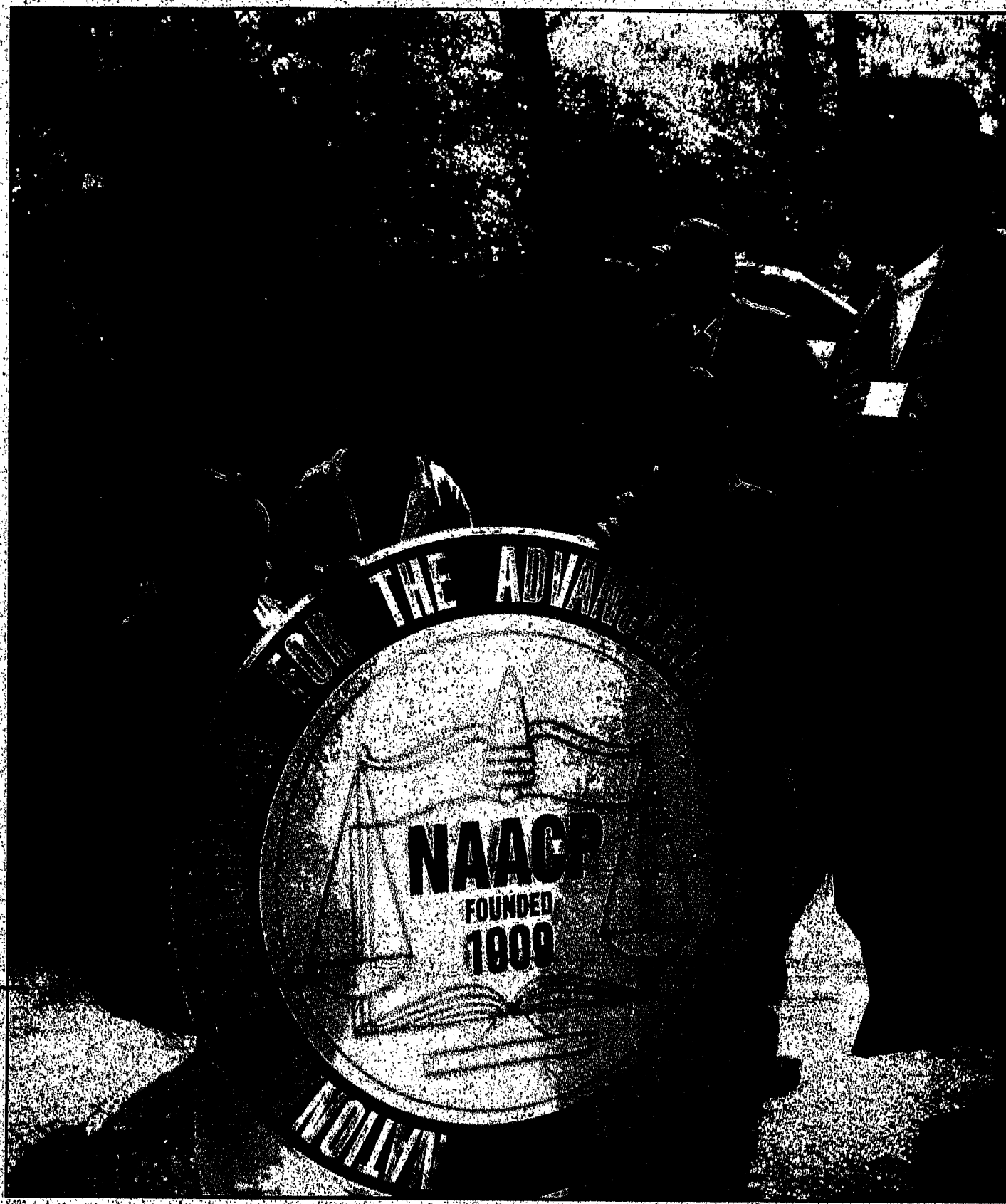
TWENTY YEARS AGO

January 17, 1985 - Leo Seal, Jr., president of Hancock Bank met with members of the Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission Monday to discuss a proposed plan to interest foreign industry in locating on the Mississippi coast. Seal told the commission he wanted the emphasis on the importance of Hancock County's participation in the project which will include a visit to England to promote and encourage potential industrial clients in the area.

In protest to have a bullet shot through her dining room window, Bayside Park resident Betty J. Smith organized a community meeting and has helped to reactivate the Bayside Park Civic Association. Last week Smith reported a .22 caliber bullet had been shot through her window. This gunshot prompted her to accept a temporary position as president of the reactivated association and she is now working to establish a neighborhood watch. Smith added she had learned of another bullet being shot through a residence window and another home being burglarized only a week

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King's Day



WORDS AND PHOTOS
BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER
Staff Writer

Despite the chilly weather, about 100 participants turned out to celebrate Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday in Pearlington on Saturday morning. The Pearlington League of Churches sponsored a march, followed by speeches and refreshments at the Charles B. Murphy School Gym. The celebration will be an annual event.

School Board member Rose Acker told attendees that it was because of men like King she was able to be on the board of a free school district where all children are entitled to an education. Acker said she thought that African Americans should remember their roots.

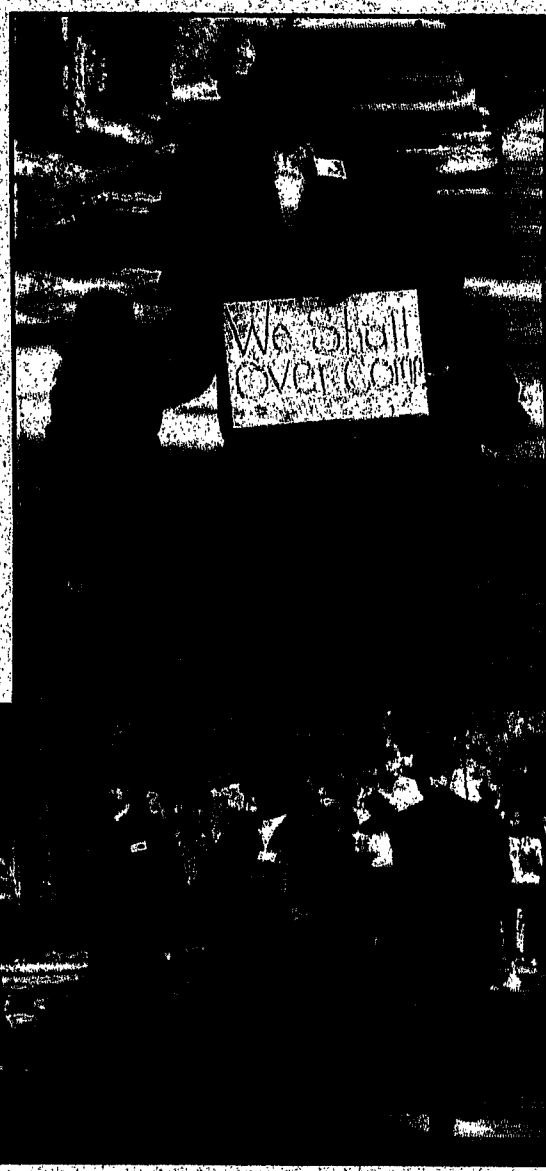
Rose Jackson said King was a modern day Moses who worked for the good of all races, a man whose business was working for the equality of all mankind.

"Keep marching to help keep the dream alive," said Jackson.

Dr. Ray Larry said he was asked why the marches continue. The marches continue, he said, because it is important to share memories. History forgotten is history destined to be repeated. The children don't remember the days when drinking fountains were labeled "white only" and lunch counters were off limits to African Americans.

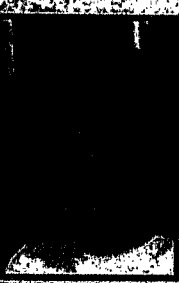
"I was just a kid and I didn't understand it, but I knew I had to deal with it, because I knew I didn't want to have that kind of hatred in my heart."

People should take the opportunity to get to know one another before passing judgment. Get to know the person, Larry said.



Living with your adolescent dog

That sweet, adorable puppy you got six months ago is now a rowdy, rebellious, and in every way, a different animal. Just when you thought you were finished with all the "puppy stuff," your dog is chewing like a hydra, barking like a banshee, and acting like he's never heard the obedience commands you've taught him, and even having housebreak



Pet Projects by Paula Leoni

ing accidents

again. Relax! Your little darling hasn't been replaced by an alien, he's just a teenager! Your dog is

entering a critical stage of development, both physically and mentally. These are trying times, it's easy to forgive a cute little pup for piddling on the carpet

or jumping up on Aunt Mabel, but it's a different story when that puppy's a sixty-pound mass of energy. Many owners simply relegate the dog to the backyard, some people are so overwhelmed that they give up altogether and turn the dog in to the local animal shelter, certain he'll find a good home. The vast majority of owner-relinquished dogs in animal shelters

are between six and eighteen months of age, and most of them are euthanized.

The good news is that adolescence doesn't last forever, though it may seem like it at the time! Depending on the dog's breed type and individual personality, a dog will begin to show more settled, mature behavior

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Sports

SSC blanks Bay 4-0; state soccer playoffs set to begin

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II
Staff Writer

On Tuesday, January 18th, the St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaws blanked the Bay High Tigers 4-0 in high school soccer action at the Brother Phillip Memorial Athletic Complex.

The Rocks (13-4-3) scored twice in each half of play. In the first half, Patrick Donohoe scored unassisted to make the game 1-0.

Later in the half, Andrew Smith-Parker scored on an assist by Se Choi for the 2-0 difference.

Smith-Parker scored his second goal of the game with about 24 minutes remaining. Austin Boudreau scored on an assist by Donohoe to make the final tally.

SSC head coach Andy Kivlan stated, "We played uninspired soccer tonight. Our passes and touches were not crisp."

The Rocks are set to play the Pass Christian Pirates on the road at 5:30pm on Friday, January 21st. The Rocks will advance to the state playoffs as the #2-seed from Division 8-4A. The state soccer playoffs begin Tuesday, January 25th. The Rocks will play an opponent yet to be determined on the road Tuesday. If SSC is victorious in their opening round game, they will host the second round game at SSC on Saturday, January 29th.

The OLA Crescents are the Division 8-1A/2A/3A champions and will host their first round opponent on Tuesday evening.

In previous soccer action on Monday, January 17th, the St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaws dropped a non-division game to 5A Oak Grove 3-1. Andrew Smith-Parker scored the lone goal for SSC. Our Lady Academy (15-4-

2) tallied a 2-0 shutout over Oak Grove on Monday, as well. Lauren Rittiner and Amanda Meyers each scored for the Crescents. Margaret Rittiner and Lauren Renz added the assists while Annie Giardino recorded her 15th shutout in goal for OLA this season.

On Saturday, January 15th, OLA defeated St. John 4-0 to claim the Class 1A-2A-3A Division 8 soccer title. Meghan Flynt scored twice in the game for OLA while Lauren Renz and Whitney Siewert each added one goal.

On January 14th, the Crescents recorded a 9-0 win over Poplarville on the road. Lauren Renz scored twice for OLA while Margaret Hadden, Meghan Flynt, Lauren Rittiner, Amanda Meyers, Cassy Schaeffer, Lakasia Duckworth and Andrea

Puffer all scored once. Flynt added five assists in the game. Giardino recorded the shutout in goal for OLA.

Also on January 14th, the Lady Warriors of D'Iberville defeated the lady Tigers of Bay High in girls soccer 4-1.

In high school basketball action, the Bay High Tigers traveled to Gautier and swept the homestanding Gators.

In varsity girls' action, the #1-ranked Lady Tigers disposed the Lady Gators 62-32. Kendra Reed led the way with 20 points followed by Tamara Reed with 15 and Destiny Porter with 13 points.

In varsity boys' action, the Tigers won a squeaker 38-36. Braxton Rockwell led Bay High with 9 points.

Ocean Springs defeated the Hancock Hawks 71-46 in the annual Alumni Day at Hancock on Saturday, Jan. 15.

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MS Sports Hall of Fame's Drawdown of Champions to award Super Bowl trip

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II
Staff Writer

The Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame and Museum will be holding its third annual Drawdown of Champions at the Hall of Fame in Jackson on Saturday, January 29th.

The top prize at this year's event is a Super Bowl Trip complete with air fare, multi-night hotel stay and game tickets for two to Super Bowl XXXIX.

Executive Director Michael Rubenstein commented, "Just eight days before the game, somebody will walk out of the drawdown with their Super Bowl Weekend ready to go except for their excuse to the boss for leaving on short notice."

The second prize in the drawdown is a deluxe grill donated by the Viking Corporation of Greenwood, Mississippi, that is valued at \$5000. A third prize is a

Super Bowl party for 20 donated by Corky's Ribs and Bar-B-Q at your home.

There will also be a silent auction held at the drawdown that will include autographed memorabilia from some of Mississippi's best known sports legends, as well as art, food and assorted gifts.

Live music will be provided by the Hot Cats. Tickets are \$50 for individuals and \$75 for couples and that

includes one chance in the drawdown. Extra chances are available for \$25 each. All proceeds will benefit the private, non-profit Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame and Museum.

For ticket information, please contact the museum office at 601-982-8264, or visit www.msifame.com.

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Bay High girls hold steady at number 1 spot in AP poll

BY JOEDY MCCREARY
AP Sports Writer

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Jackson Lanier's boys and Bay St. Louis' girls held onto the top spots in The Associated Press high school basketball polls released Monday.

Lanier (19-2) strengthened its grip on the top spot after a 3-0 week which included a thrilling 88-79 double-overtime victory over South Gwinnett, the No. 1 team in Georgia.

Lanier received eight of a possible nine first-place votes and 89 of a possible 90 poll points in the poll of sports writers and broadcasters across the state.

Biloxi (19-1) was second with 77 poll points and the other first-place vote.

Jackson Murrah is up one spot to third, followed by Meridian, Holly Springs, Harrison Central, Gulfport, Starkville, McComb and Canton.

Gulfport and McComb are new to the poll this week; McComb returned after a one-week absence. Dropping out were New Albany and Lawrence County.

Bay St. Louis' girls remained No. 1 in the girls' poll after a 2-0 week made them 19-0 on the season.

Bay St. Louis was a

unanimous selection atop the girls' poll with nine first-place votes.

Choctaw Central and Tupelo remained second and third for the third straight week.

Wayne County is up one spot to fourth, followed by Meridian, Bay Springs, Greenville, Clinton, Jackson Province and Jackson Callaway.

Province was the only newcomer to the girls' poll this week, replacing Ocean Springs, which fell from the rankings.

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Cross, Katelin
Daley, Bernadette
Daley, Katherine
Davalos, Alexandra
Dunklin, Brennan
Floyd, Corey
Fucich, Destiney
Goscinski, Alexandra
Hart, Breanna
Hoffman, Adele
Krementsz, Forrest
Lafontaine, Braxton
Lapniewski, Christopher
Lawler, Whitley
Lewis, Shekinah
Lizana, Jordan
Lymuel, Erin
Miller, Brooke
Murray, Rachael
Raboteau, Jeremi
Resor, Rebecca
Rivera, Coryn
Salaun, Ellen
Scafidi, Dean
Siegel, Danielle
Sutherland, Jordan
Thomas, Brice
Thomas, Hillary
Watson, Dasia
Wilkinson, Ashlee
Williams, Nathan
Woods, Jazmin

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Bell, Jarrett
Bell, Joshua
Bilbo, Devin
Black, Reni
Brown, Lucinda
Brown, Tyler
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Camperson, Joseph
Carter, Adam
Carver, Kimberly
Cascone, Marielle
Catchings, Jennia
Chatman, Whitney
Coe, Cole
Collins, Sarah
Conway, Brooke
Cool, Savannah
Couchene, Jeremiah
Crosby, Hailey
Cunningham, Kendra
Davis, Chasity
Davis, Tearra
Dennis, Justin
Drummond, Robert
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Favre, Harli
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Mitchell, Brandon C.
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Prather, Savannah
Rauch, Shannon
Richardson, Tess
Robertson, Breighana
Rose, Jordan
Rougeau, Chelci
Rudolph, Seaira
Rushing, Alexander
Sims, Rachel
Solberger, Samuel
Spoon, Thomas
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Yates, Jamie

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Gooding, Rose
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Lusco, Victoria
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Haynes, Lionel
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Royal, Cody
Salter, Zachary
Sires, Aimee
Smith, Iesha
Spencer, Heather
Spotorno, Gabrielle
Spurlock, Christopher
Strong, Christopher
Szczepkowski, Tori
Taylor, Michael
Tenney, Samuel
Thornton, Justin
Tillman, Carlene
Tierney, Ryan
Titman, Grant
Toler, Jason
Valle, Alex
White, Elijah
Willis, Makesi
Wilson, Jarrod
Womack, Brett
Woodmansee, Ashleigh
Woodmansee, Chaunce

TERM 2

8TH GRADE ALPHA

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Berthold, Drew
Carver, Brandon
Farve, Bridget
Francis, Ashley
Goff, Breanna
Kingston, Ryan
Moore, David
Netto, Nicholas
Oliver, Jessica
Resor, Isabella
Smith, Kyrsten
Spence, Fred
Spence, Hannah
Tomasich, Lance
Tran, Loan
Williams, Leann
Zingarelli, Veronica

TERM 2

8TH GRADE BETA

Abbott, Kara
Adams, Margaret
Alexander, Terrell
Anderson, Ashley
Bane, Edgar
Bell, Austin
Bermond, Ashley
Blackstock, Milea
Bobbitt, Alysia
Boswell, Jeremy
Bounds, Shelby
Brignac, Drake
Brignac, Sherell
Buras, Cherokee
Burge, Christopher
Cain, Hailey

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Cayula, Raymond
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Time -- religious census

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FORTY YEARS AGO
January 21, 1965 - Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company asked the Board of Supervisors Monday for easements over county roads for a new 36-inch line paralleling the 30-inch line laid in 1958.

Action on the request was deferred until it can be determined which roadway rights of way are owned by the county and what compensation can be made for their use.

-Bay St. Louis area gained more than 815 new telephones during 1964, according to J.C. Dabney, Southern Bell manager here. The local exchange now has 5,015 telephones compared to 4,203 telephones one year

ago at the end of 1963.

-About 100 employees of the National Aeronautics Spade Administration and General Electric Company began moving this week into the New Office and Administration Building at Mississippi Test Operations. The move heralds the opening of MTO's first permanent office building. Only the north and south wings on the first floor of the three-story building are ready for occupancy now.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
January 20, 1955 - Freakish weather, more like the hurricane then mid-winter season, bore down on the Bay area on Tuesday of this week causing considerable damaged widespread wire trouble.

The storm, which came

as a sudden climax to a rainy, windy day, ripped the rear porch off Manai's Restaurant on the beach and threw parts of it across the street.

Electric line were downed on the beach and traffic had to be re-routed. Roads on the South part of the beach were flooded for part of the day and passage was doubly hampered by knocked down wires.

Mississippi Power prorated there were crossed wires as far out as Kiln and the Lakeshore areas.

-Burns Mortgage. (Photo), Dr. J.A. Evans, grand lodge, and J.A. Coward, members of the Local Masonic Lodge put a match to the mortgage of the Masonic Temple located on Main Street. The ceremony was held Tuesday night.

SIXTY YEARS AGO

January 18, 1946 - A religious census has been launched in Bay St. Louis and the Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal Churches are cooperating in thanking this census. The time has been set for Sunday, January 27, at 1:15 p.m. when the entire group of workers will meet at the Baptist Church and go out in teams of two.

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Pets -- Terrible Teens!

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anywhere around 1-2 years of age. In the meantime, understanding and managing your teenage dog will help you both survive! Know that much like human teens, a young dog is capable of stunningly perfect behavior one moment, and complete lack of control the next. Continuing to use the crate to confine your dog when you're not around to supervise will keep him safe and prevent him from eating the sofa. When out with your dog, keep him on leash, even if you've done your

training homework. It only takes a single, impulsive moment for your dog to dash across the road in front of an oncoming car. Don't allow your teen dog more freedom than he can handle.

It's important to provide plenty of exercise, though. A tired dog is a happy dog, and also much less likely to engage in destructive behavior out of boredom or sheer excess energy.

A training class is a great way to give your dog physical and mental stimu-

lation, and will help you cope, as well!

Adolescence is a time for your dog to test his independence, it's normal for him to ignore and even defy your directions, but regular training sessions will help reinforce your leadership status.

Your dog is undergoing many physical changes, and now is the time to discuss with your veterinarian subjects like dietary changes and having your pet spayed or neutered if you have not already done so.

Also, be aware that although your dog has probably lost those needle-sharp puppy teeth by now, he will cut his final molars around 9 months of age. There's likely to be another chewing stage, so provide your pup with plenty of safe, appropriate items to chew on.

Eventually, your teenage terror will grow up! The careful management, training, and care that you give during this period will pay off in a lifetime of canine companionship.



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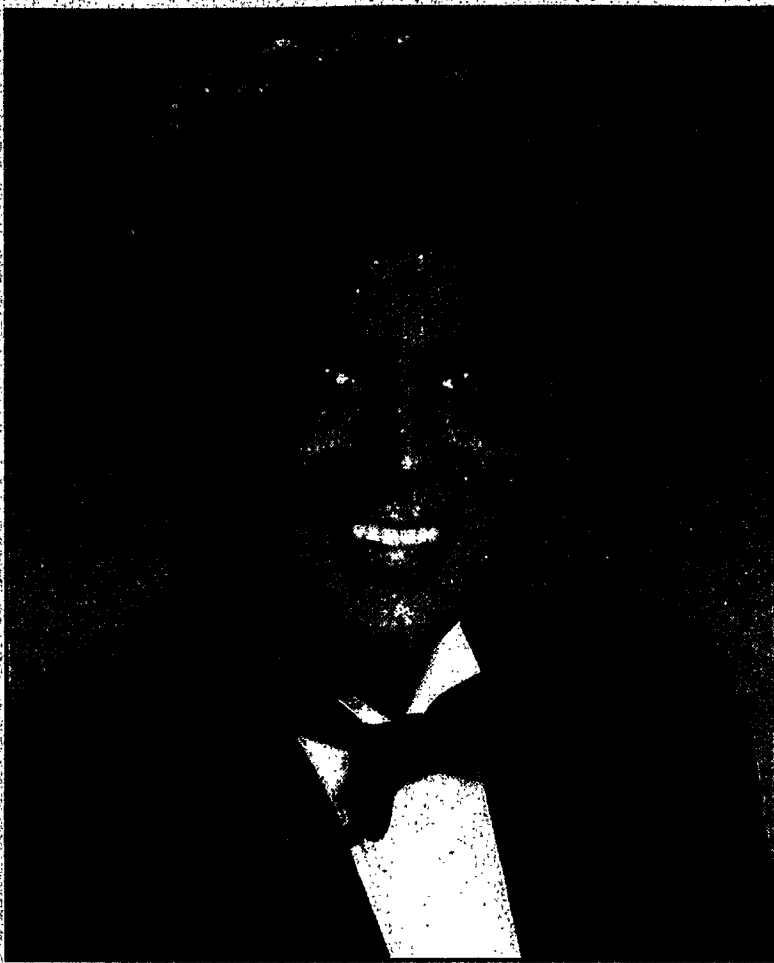
Vinton enthralls Bay Magic audiences

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The "Polish Prince" Bobby Vinton will perform to swooning audiences at Casino Magic Bay St. Louis on March 4th and 5th at 9 p.m. The only artist to hit the Top 40 singing in Polish, Bobby Vinton, 69, earned the title "The Polish Prince" through longevity and sheer talent.

His string of 31 Top 40 hits spanned 14 years, and include: "Roses Are Red," "Blue Velvet," "Mr. Lonely," "Blue On Blue," and many more. Vinton continues to draw the teen girls who loved him in the 60's and appeal to new generations of fans. Tickets to Vinton's performances are: \$19.95, \$24.95 & \$29.95 and are available through the Casino Magic Box Office, by calling 1-800-5-MAGIC-5 or through any Ticketmaster outlet.

Born in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania in 1935, Vinton's Pennsylvania Polish roots set him apart from the many Italian crooners of the early Sixties. With a bandleader, Stan Vinton, for a father, Bobby Vinton got the support and training he needed to make the best use of his vocal talents. The band he started at age 16 earned enough to pay for part of his education at



Bobby Vinton

Duquesne University.

College and an Army hitch kept him from being a national teen phenomenon, but Vinton and his band appeared on Guy Lombardo's TV show, and soon he had his first hit, "Roses Are Red (My Love)," which shot to #1 in the summer of 1962. Over the course of the next two years,

Vinton hit #1 back-to-back with "Blue Velvet" and "There! I've Said It Again," and later with "Mr. Lonely." He mixed in plenty of other gems, including "Blue on Blue" and "I Love How You Love Me."

Just as people began to suspect that his hit-making days were numbered, Vinton pulled "My Melody of

Love" from his bag of tricks in 1974. This #8 hit endeared him to the Polish population of the entire United States with its chorus in Polish. Live shows followed in Vegas, Atlantic City and, eventually, to Branson, Missouri. Vinton now has his own venue in Branson, the Bobby Vinton Theatre. He chose to pattern his new theatre building after the old Hollywood theatres, and so it is laden with murals and, of course, blue velvet curtains.

Vinton proved his artistic versatility by appearing in a pair of John Wayne films, Big Jake (1971) and The Train Robbers (1973). Vinton had a successful run on TV as well, from 1975 to 1978. The Bobby Vinton Show showcased some of the finest musical talent of the era.

At this stage of his career, the man who has sold 75 million records and been honored by the Polish government continues to pack in ticket-holders, and he looks as good as he did when he was recording the hits that made him famous.

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Boston Brass to open 'Arts Under the Dome'

BY BENNIE SHALLBETTER
Staff Writer

Arts Under the Dome will open their annual concert series on Friday, January 21 at 7 p.m., with Boston Brass. The group entertains with a combination of humorous stage dialogue and musical expertise that both delights and educates the audience. The group's repertoire includes classical, operatic, jazz and popular music.

The quintet performs over 120 concerts each year at concert halls and festivals in such diverse cities as New York, Portland, Seattle, Philadelphia, Detroit, Dallas, San Antonio, Minneapolis, Juneau, Sacramento, and Los Angeles. They perform both solo and with local orchestras. They have been featured on the CBS "Morning



Pictured are band members J.D. Shaw, Jeff Conner, Ed Clough, Richard Kelley and Andrew Hiltz.

Show," National Public Radio's "Performance Today," and have recorded several albums.

The quintet has also conducted master classes at colleges and universities including The Eastman School of Music, the University of Connecticut, Boston University, Yale, Notre Dame and U.C.L.A. They have also conducted

assorted clinics and concerts at regional and national educational conferences and have helped to raise more than \$100,000 for VH1's "Save the Music" program, which provides musical instruments to schools in need.

The band explores symphonic textures from all eras of music, including a commission from Hollywood composer Bruce Edward Miller entitled Pluto: The Last Planet.

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All concerts are held at the First United Methodist Church at 15th Street and 24th Avenue in downtown Gulfport.

Free childcare is offered for each concert. For more information on this or other concerts in the series please call 228-863-0045 or 388-9288 or e-mail artsunderthedome@aol.com.

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Public Notices

In the Youth Court of Hancock County
State of Mississippi
In the Interest of: T.B. & T.D.
Cause No. 2532-A
Attorney: TERRY WALDO, SR.
& SUSAN CAMPBELL
You are commanded to personally appear before the Youth Court of Hancock County, 128 Court Street, Bay St. Louis, MS, at 8:30 a.m. on February 7, 2005, for a Plea and Disposition Hearing. If you have any questions, call 228-467-7945 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.
Prepared by: Chere Hayward
Court Administrator
01/20/05; 01/23/05; 01/27/05

Public Notices

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
GUILLAUME WILLIAMS PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
BRENDA L. ALVAREZ, ROBERT CHARLES CORNER, ET AL. DEFENDANTS
CIVIL ACTION NO. 2201-05-008 (3)
CHANCERY SUMMONS

TO: BRENDA L. ALVAREZ and ROBERT CHARLES CORNER, OR THEIR UNKNOWN HEIRS, IF ANY OF THEM NOW BE DECEASED, Whose Post Office Addresses and Street Addresses are Unknown After Diligent Search and Inquiry to Ascertain the Same. ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LANDS, BEING SITUATED IN HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, WHICH: SOLD FOR TAXES ON SEPTEMBER 3, 1998, AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: TO-WIT: Lots 30, Block 122, SHORELINE PARK SUBDIVISION, Unit No. 7, Addition No. 3, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per plat of said subdivision, of record of Side A-209 in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. You have been made Defendants in the said Civil Action No. 2201-05-008 (3) in this Court by Guillaume Williams, seeking the confirmation and the quieting of a tax title in him as against you and others to the heretofore described real property.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action unto G. Gerald Cuthbert, Attorney for the Plaintiff, whose address is P. O. Box 1056, Piquette, Mississippi 39466.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE SIX DAY OF JANUARY, NEXT 2005, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE NEXT PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time thereafter.

ISSUED under my hand and the seal of this Court, this 4th day of January, A.D., 2005.

TIMOTHY A. (TIM) KELLAR,
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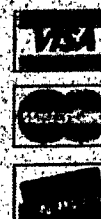
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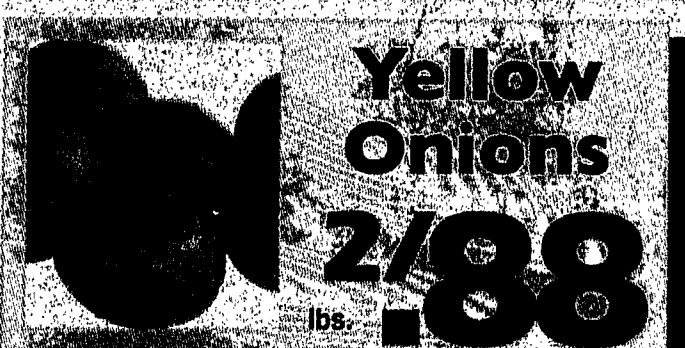
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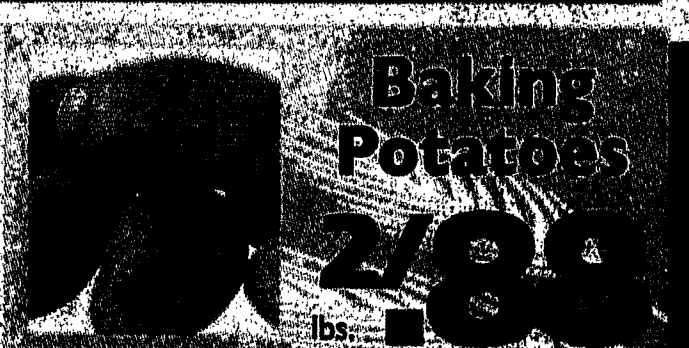
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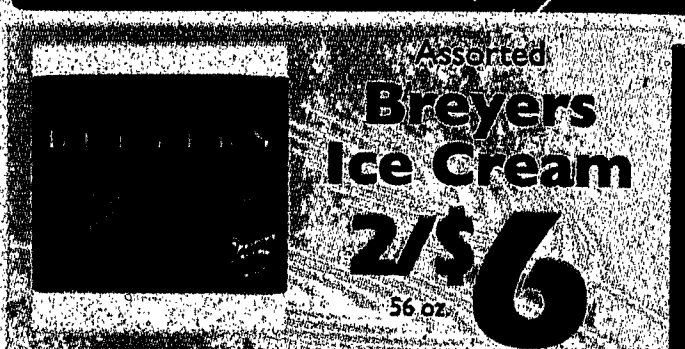
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